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Karen Waldron Health Supply US, LLC VS. Served On: Health Supply US, LLC Registered Agent: Corporation Service Company, 2626 Glenwood Ave., Ste. 550 Agleigh, NC 27608 You are hereby summoned to defend a civil action filed against you in Circuit Court, Knox County, Tenge nust be made within thirty (30) days from the date this summons is served upon you. You are directed to file your defense and send a copy to the plaintiff's attorney at the address listed below. If you fail to defend this action by the below das cendered against you for the relief sought in the complaint. Attorney for Plaintiff: Jeffrey C. Taylor, Esq. TAYLOR Law Firm, 365 W 3rd North St, Morristown, TN 37814 NOTICE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY EXEMPTION TO THE DEFENDANT(S): Tennessee law provides a ten thousand dollar (\$10,000) personal property exemption as well as a from execution or seizure to satisfy a judgment. The amount of the homestead exemption depends upon your age and the other factors which are listed in TCA § 26-2-301. If a judgment should be entered against you in this action and you wish to claim property as exemption must file a written list, under oath, of the items you wish to claim as exempt with the clerk of the court. The list may be filed at any time and rapy be changed by you thereafter as necessary; however, unless it is filed before the judgment becomes final, it will not be effective as to any execution or garnishment issued prior to the filing of the list. Certain items are automatically exempt by law and do not need to be listed; these include items of necessary wearing apparel (clothing) for your self and your family and trunks or other receptacles necessary to contain such apparel, family portraits, the family Bible, and school books. Should any of these items be seized you would have the right to recover them. If you do not understand your exemption right or how to exercise it, you may wish to seek the counsel of a lawyer. Please state file number on list. Kevin Poe, Circuit Clerk, Jefferson County 765 Justice Center Drive, Ste. 2, Dandridge, TN 37725 CERTIFICATION (IF APPLICABLE) Clark of Country do contife this to be a true and as

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR JEFFERSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

KAREN WALDRON,	)
Plaintiff,	)
v.	No. 26/12 2 - 1 V
HEALTH SUPPLY US, LLC,	Ministration Control of the Control
Defendant.	
_	COMPLAINT

COMES now the Plaintiff, Karen Waldron ("Plaintiff" or "Waldron"), Sycaput through counsel, and sues Defendant, Health Supply US, LLC ("Defendant" or "HSUS") and shows unto the Court, as follows:

- 1. This action arises from Defendant's breach of contract with Plaintiff, pursuant Tennessee common law.
- 2. Plaintiff is a resident of Jefferson County, Tennessee, residing at 776 McKenzie Drive, Dandridge, Tennessee 37725.
- 3. Defendant is a North Carolina Limited Liability Company with its principal place of business located at 205 Raceway Drive, Suite 3, Mooresville, North Carolina 28117. Defendant can be served with process through its registered agent at Corporation Service Company, 2626 Glenwood Avenue, Suite 550, Raleigh, North Carolina 27608.
- 4. On or about April 20, 2020, Plaintiff and Defendant entered into an employment agreement, confirmed in writing.
- 5. At all times material hereto, Defendant is engaged in manufacturing, identifying, sourcing and delivering essential safety and medical supplies, including personal protective equipment ("PPE") through United States government contracts for the benefit of front line workers.
- 6. At all times material hereto, Plaintiff was hired by Defendant as the Defendant's Director of Operations.

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- 7. As Director of Operations, Plaintiff reported directly to Defendant's CEO, Christopher Garcia.
- 8. As Director of Operations for Defendant, Plaintiff's duties and responsibilities included completing contract bid work with the United States government for the purposes of manufacturing and delivery of PPE of a various nature, and overseeing production of the contracted PPE materials.
- 9. Defendant contracted with Plaintiff for Plaintiff's services as Director of Operations of Defendant for an agreed base salary of \$120,000.00 per year, paid biweekly at \$4,615.38, plus bonus payments paid in an amount based upon the fulfillment of the Defense Logistics Agency ("DLA") contract(s).
- 10. On or about September 2020, Defendant received delivery orders of certain PPE totaling \$500,962,308.00, which was reduced to \$47,699,892.00 by late September 2020. As Director of Operations, Plaintiff engaged in significant work on behalf of Defendant to fulfill Defendant's obligations pursuant to the aforementioned DLA orders. The majority of the work Plaintiff performed on the DLA orders and contracts were performed by Plaintiff in Jefferson County, Tennessee.
- 11. Based on the terms of Plaintiff's employment agreement with Defendant, Defendant was to pay Plaintiff bonus money on the DLA contract in the amount of \$500,000.00. The Defendant agreed to pay Plaintiff's bonus money upon receipt of the contract payment from Defendant's customer, DLA.
- 12. To date, Defendant has paid Plaintiff the agreed base salary, but has only paid Plaintiff bonus money of \$304,872.75. Defendant has breached its employment agreement with Plaintiff by failing to pay Plaintiff the balance of the bonus monies due in the amount of \$195,127.25, plus accrued and unused vacation days in the amount of \$2,500.00.
- 13. Plaintiff avers that the above-mentioned DLA contract has been fulfilled and completed and that Defendant has received payment related to the contract in the amount of \$47,699,892.00.
- 14. As a result of Defendant's breach of the employment agreement between the parties hereto, Plaintiff has been damaged in that Defendant has withheld from Plaintiff the contractual

benefits, including bonus monies and vacation pay which Defendant was obligated to pay Plaintiff pursuant to the parties written agreement and communications and of which Plaintiff relied upon in the completion of her duties to Defendant.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands judgment from the Court against Defendant for bonus payment and vacation payment in the total amount of \$197,627.25.

Respectfully submitted this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of November, 2022.

Karen Waldron

Jeffrey C. Taylor, Esq. (BPR #013436)

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## **COST BOND**

We acknowledge ourselves as sureties in this cause for the bill of costs.

Jeffrey C. Taylor før

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